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Dear Sir / Madam,

I'm answer to your advertisement in the Saturday paper I would like to respond to one of your concerns of meeting financial protection for Old persons

My response is that I am doing a course of becoming a counsellor get a degree for it so as this course the cost is \$10,000. I need a computer which will cost me \$300 hook up broadband at \$90 a month & at least \$20 month on incidentals let alone \$80 for Blue part.

I feel that the government would be great if they could pay for all of these things. I know they will pay for the fees & I can pay them back after I earn \$53,000 but to not have that hanging over my head would be fantastic being a pensioner with no money behind me having no debt would be really fantastic.

I do appreciate the Brisbane seniors on line who provide affordable computer tuition for the over 50's but that again if it could be free that would be free for me too would be a heaven when I start my degree.

Anyway that is my issue regarding financial protection for Old persons. Having fees would help more of us seniors return to studying to get degrees, get back into the work force.

yours faithfully,

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